

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION**

KERIMARIE SUTHERLAND,

Plaintiff/Claimant

vs.

OTB ACQUISITION, LLC

Defendant/Respondent.

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Civil Action No. 3:23-cv-02665-B

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the Court’s Status Report Order [ECF 9], Plaintiff/Claimant Kerimarie Sutherland (“Plaintiff/Claimant”) and Defendant/Respondent OTB Acquisition, LLC (“Defendant/Respondent”) (jointly, the “Parties”) jointly submit this Joint Status Report, and report as follows:

The Parties have exchanged initial written discovery requests and documents. On November 22, 2024, the Parties participated in mediation, which was unsuccessful. On December 6, 2024, Respondent served supplemental discovery requests to Claimant. Respondent is awaiting Claimant’s responses to its supplemental discovery requests, which are due January 6, 2025. The Parties are also in the process of scheduling additional depositions. The final arbitration hearing is currently scheduled to begin on May 6, 2025.

Dated: December 20, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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